

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1-6. (Canceled)

7. (New) A display orientation adjustment apparatus comprising:

a movable part configured to be attached to a rear surface of a display;

a base pivotably supporting the movable part;

a stopper configured to limit a range of pivotal motion of the movable part; and

a clutch unit configured to release the stopper not to prevent the pivotal motion of the movable part when a force which the stopper receives by preventing the pivotal motion is larger than a predetermined value.

8. (New) A display orientation adjustment apparatus according to claim 7, further comprising:

a support cap configured to press the movable part toward a base side, the stopper being mounted in the support cap; and

a corotation restricting member configured to restrict pivotal motion of the support cap, the corotation restricting member including a first engageable part and a shaft part protruding from the first engageable part, the support cap including a second engageable part, the first engageable part of the corotation restricting member being engageable with the second engageable part of the support cap from a display side,

wherein the shaft part is mounted on the base in a manner such that the shaft part is prevented from pivoting about an axis of the shaft part and such that the shaft part is allowed to move along the axis if the first engageable part is pivoted beyond the range by a pivoting force of the predetermined magnitude or greater, and

wherein if the first engageable part of the corotation restricting member engaged with the second engageable part of the support cap is pivoted beyond the restricted range by a pivoting force of the predetermined magnitude or greater, the shaft part of the corotation restricting member moves toward the display side, and gets disengaged from the second engageable part of the support cap.

9. (New) A display orientation adjustment apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the first engageable part of the corotation restricting member is stressed toward the base.

10. (New) A display orientation adjustment apparatus according to claim 9, further comprising:

a stressing member mounted in the base configured to stress the first engageable part of the corotation restricting member toward the base side,

wherein a stress generated by the stressing member causes the support cap to press the movable part toward the base side.

11. (New) A display orientation adjustment apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the first engageable part of the corotation restricting member includes a contact surface oblique to the axis of the shaft part, and wherein the second engageable part of the support cap includes a stopper surface configured to contact with the contact surface of the first engageable part.

12. (New) A display orientation adjustment apparatus according to claim 7, wherein the movable part includes a sliding surface shaped as a spherical zone, and wherein the base includes a receiving surface for slidable contact with the sliding surface.